

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 257

By Hensley

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Brittany Spears upon her top ten ranking in the 2013 graduating class at Lewis County High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Brittany Spears is one such exceptional student who recently ranked in the top ten of the 2013 graduating class at Lewis County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Spears has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Brittany has maintained an exemplary grade point average, the ninth-highest ranking in her class; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Spears has graciously donated her time and energies to numerous scholastic and extracurricular efforts, including serving as President of the Theatre Club and member of the Beta Club, Science Club, Math Club, and 4-H; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to awards and accolades, Brittany has been named a Tennessee Scholar and she is a recipient of the Spanish I award and the Envirothon Bronze award in Scouting; and

WHEREAS, in her free time, she enjoys horseback riding, camping, venturing, and attending United Methodist Church; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Spears's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success as a student at Martin Methodist College, where she plans to pursue a degree in criminal justice; and

WHEREAS, Brittany's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Donnie and Amanda Crowell, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, her dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor 2013 Lewis County High School top ten student Brittany Spears on her impressive academic achievement, applauding her ninth-place ranking and extending to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.